

**Table 1** Standardising the IHD mortality rate for males in Germany to the world standard population.

A Age group (years)	B Number of IHD deaths (males) in Germany	C Number of males in Germany	D Mortality rate in Germany (per 100,000) ( $B \div C$ )	E World standard population	F Cases expected in standard population ( $D \times E$ )
0-4	0	2,032,000	0.00	12,000	0.00
5-9	0	2,296,000	0.00	10,000	0.00
10-14	0	2,362,000	0.00	9,000	0.00
15-19	11	2,353,000	0.47	9,000	0.04
20-24	15	2,283,000	0.66	8,000	0.05
25-29	42	2,990,000	1.40	8,000	0.11
30-34	142	3,722,000	3.82	6,000	0.23
35-39	407	3,548,000	11.47	6,000	0.69
40-44	839	3,061,000	27.41	6,000	1.64
45-49	1,484	2,801,000	52.98	6,000	3.18
50-54	2,396	2,295,000	104.40	5,000	5.22
55-59	5,352	2,903,000	184.36	4,000	7.37
60-64	8,080	2,505,000	322.55	4,000	12.90
65-69	11,562	1,844,000	627.01	3,000	18.81
70-74	12,605	1,350,000	933.70	2,000	18.67
75-79	12,700	869,000	1,461.45	1,000	14.61
80-84	12,727	403,000	3,158.06	500	15.79
85+	16,213	376,000	4,311.97	500	21.56
Total	84,575	39,993,000	211.47	100,000	120.89

(Source for raw data: Global Cardiovascular Infobase, [www.cvdinfobase.ca](http://www.cvdinfobase.ca), accessed 23 September 2003.)